

Institutional Fact Sheet



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Erasmus+ code	CZ OSTRAVA02
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Accreditation Type	Erasmus Charter for Higher Education (ERAPLUS-ECHE): 46583-EPP-1-2014-1-CZ-EPPKA3-ECHE

Academic Calendar – Winter Semester

Winter semester dates	11. 9. – 22. 12. 2017 (Faculty of Medicine) 25. 9. – 22. 12. 2017 (Other faculties)
Orientation Week	18. 9. – 22. 9. 2017
Winter Break	23. 12. 2017 – 1. 1. 2018
Examination period	2. 1. – 10. 2. 2017

Academic Calendar – Summer Semester

Summer semester dates	12. 2. – 11. 5. 2018 (till 18.5. or 25.5.2018 for Faculty of Medicine)
Orientation Week	5. 2. – 9. 2. 2018
Spring Break	29. 3. – 2. 4. 2018
Examination period	14. 5. – 29. 6. 2018

Some Practical Information

Cost of living	<p>The minimum financial resources students should have available are 6000-8000 CZK (approx. 250-400 €) per month. The recommended amount of money is 400 € per month.</p> <p>Tuition fees are waived for all Erasmus+ students, however students will be required to pay some service charges (university card, accommodation costs etc.), just like Czech students of the University.</p> <p>Erasmus+ students can be eligible to receive a housing subsidy (approx. 30 €/month, application deadline 20.10.2017).</p>
Accommodation	<p>Students can be housed in halls of residence in Ostrava, or can hire a private flat or room. The difference, of course, is in the price of accommodation. Prices range from a monthly payment of 1 835 Czech crowns for a room with three beds, 2 000 Czech crowns for a room with two beds and 2 290 Czech crowns for a room with one bed (the quoted prices include energy and services).</p>
Meals	<p>Students can use canteens located in the „Kampus Palace“ building right in the centre of town. Lunch costs between 65-98 Czech crowns.</p> <p>Meals are ordered with a student identification card. It is necessary to register for the identification card, which means opening an account.</p>
Facilities for special needs students	<p>"Pyramid" – Centre of Support for Students with Special Needs:</p> <p>pyramida.osu.cz/index.php?id=158</p>
International Student Club – ESN Ostravska	<p>Buddy programme Social and cultural events Practical info http://isc.osu.cz/</p>

<p>Visa</p>	<p>Visa requirements can be found at http://www.mzv.cz/jnp/en/information_for_aliens/index.html or http://ec.europa.eu/immigration/. Please, always check the current conditions on the web site of the Czech Ministry of Foreign Affairs and contact the nearest Czech embassy for updated and complete information. If you need a visa to enter the Czech Republic, please note that the visa process can take up to 2 months.</p>
<p>Health Insurance</p>	<p>International students are required to arrange their medical insurance coverage before arriving in the Czech Republic. European Union students (Erasmus Programme) should ask their home insurance company to provide them with the "blue" European Health Insurance Card. Each student is responsible for purchasing health insurance for the entire time of the stay in the Czech Republic.</p>
<p>Grading system</p>	<p>The examination result forming of a Bachelor's and Master's degree programme is evaluated on a six-point scale listed in the following table. Subjects are evaluated in addition to the alphabetical grading also with point grading. Point grading is applied to both the evaluation of the subject completed with the subject examination and the subject pass (with no examination, "zapocet").</p>

Points	Examination (alphabetical scale) ECTS grade	Examination (numerical scale)	Verbal grading	Subject pass ("zapocet")
91 – 100	A	1	excellent	Pass („započteno“)
81 – 90	B	1.5	very good plus	
71 – 80	C	2	very good	
61 – 70	D	2.5	good plus	
51 – 60	E	3	good	
0 – 50	F	4	fail	Fail („nezapočteno“)

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